

U. S. WEATHER BU-
REAU, Nov. 14--Last
24 hours' rainfall, .00.
Temperature, max. 78,
min. 66. Weather,
fair to cloudy.

Sunday Advertiser.

SUGAR--96° Test
Centrifugals, 3.92c.;
Per Ton, \$78.40. 88
Analysis Beets, 10s.
3d. Per Ton, \$83.-
20.

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CHINESE PRINCE AND AMBASSADOR WELCOMED

Military Parade and Royal Salute--No Change in Plan

When asked about the report of the death of the Emperor of China and the illness of the Empress Dowager, His Excellency Tang Shao-yi, Special Ambassador of China to the United States, said last evening:

"I am inexpressibly shocked by the sad news as given in today's press reports, of which I have, however, received no confirmation. I have only received a cablegram stating that the Emperor and the Empress Dowager are both seriously ill and that Prince Chun and his son (who is three years old) have been summoned to the Palace. The whole of China and loyal Chinese everywhere would mourn deeply the loss of their illustrious sovereigns, should the news be officially confirmed."

It is understood that the Ambassador will continue on his mission to the United States, his plans not being changed by any instructions he has received.

His Excellency Tang Shao-yi, special Ambassador of the Emperor of China to the United States to convey the Emperor's recognition of the voluntary return to China of the American Boxer indemnity, accompanied by Prince Tsai-Fu and suite of fifty-five persons, arrived in Honolulu yesterday on the Pacific Mail steamship Mongolia and was accorded the honors due his high official rank by the representatives of the Federal and Territorial governments.

As the Mongolia came alongside the Hackfeld wharf after dark, a battalion of infantry, comprising two companies of the 20th United States Infantry, under command of Captain Parsons, U. S. A., and two companies of the National Guard of Hawaii under command of Major Riley, who was mounted, came to attention. Secretary of the Territory E. A. Mott-Smith boarded the vessel as soon as the gangway was in readiness, accompanied by the Governor's military aides, Lieut. Chilton, 20th Infantry, U. S. A., and Lieut. Cummins, N. G. H., and Adjutant-General Jones, N. G. H. Following them were the secretaries of the Chinese Consulate.

On the main deck the Secretary of the Territory was met by Consul Tang Tseng Hai, who conducted them to the reading room, where His Excellency and the Prince and the former's secretary were waiting. Greetings were exchanged, and in response to the Secretary's inquiry whether the news of the Emperor's death would affect the plans for receptions ashore, His Excellency replied that he would be pleased to meet the Governor.

The Imperial party was then escorted to the dock and entered the Secretary's automobile. As the auto passed in front of the line of troops standing at present arms, the Hawaiian Band played national airs. The dock was crowded, and the Chinese pressed forward eager to obtain a glimpse of the features of men of high rank whom they had never before seen. The troops fell in behind the auto and band and the procession moved up to King street and thence to the Capitol grounds. As the auto approached the main entrance a salute of twenty-one guns was fired by the National Guard. The Ambassador waited in the auto while the salute was fired.

In the Throne Room.

The Imperial party was received in the throne room by Governor Walter F. Frear, who was aided in this pleasant duty by ex-Governor A. S. Cleghorn, Brigadier General Edward Davis, U. S. A. (retired), and Captain Epton, 20th Infantry, U. S. A., commandant of Fort Shafter, and the Governor's staff, Lieutenant Colonels Marston Campbell and J. H. Fisher, introductions being made by Secretary Mott-Smith. Lieutenant Chilton and Lieutenant Cummins were also in attendance.

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HENEY'S WOULD-BE SLAYER TURNS GUN ON HIMSELF

TANG SHAO-YI AND HIS SUITE



From left to right—Leong See, Secretary, Chung Lin, Translator; Tang Shao-yi; Hontuck Som, Customs Collector; Cheung Yam Tong, Secretary. These pictures were taken at the time Tang Shao-yi was appointed as Minister to the Chinese Territory of Tibet to sign the new treaty between England and China.

HAWAII MIGHT SECURE TRADE

Commissioner Loomis Sees a Good Chance for Business in the Orient.

Decorated with the Order of the Sacred Treasure and enthusiastic over the prospects for American trade in the Orient, if properly worked up, the Honorable Francis B. Loomis, American Commissioner General to the Tokio Exposition, is a passenger on the Mongolia, returning from Japan. Accompanying Mr. Loomis is Mrs. Loomis; J. C. O'Laughlin, secretary to the commission, Mrs. O'Laughlin and Mr. Newcome.

"We have received satisfactory assurances from the highest official authority that the Exhibition will be held in 1917 at Tokio, and that it will be very considerably enlarged in scope and more varied in character," said Mr. Loomis last night, regarding the postponement of the Exposition. "Both the people who exhibit, and those who go to see the Exposition, will be the gainers by the delay. The Japanese government and people wish to produce a singularly impressive, beautiful unique and important exposition. They are doubtless doing a wise thing in taking ample time to prepare for it. They will be able to achieve great and brilliant results at moderate expense by giving themselves a long term of years for preparation. Exhibitors will be the gainers in several respects. In the first place the Exposition will attract a great many more people; the accommodations for them will be vastly improved and amplified, and transportation facilities will be so advanced that the largest merchant vessels can be unloaded alongside the pier, exhibits placed on cars which will convey them to the interior of the exposition buildings where the goods or exhibits are to be displayed."

Mr. Loomis and the other American representatives and many tourists who have been in Japan during the last six weeks, were very much impressed by the manifestations of good will on the part of the Japanese government towards the people of the United States, as indicated by their magnificent reception to the American fleet, to the American Exposition Commission and to the delegation of American business men from the Pacific Coast. These three separate bodies of American representatives were entertained in a sumptuous and delightful manner, and the Commissioners and business men

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DEMOCRATS CELEBRATED THEIR ELECTION VICTORY

Gathering of Thousands at Aala Park Last Night Completed a Series of Jollifications That Circled Island.

The Democrats concluded a series of jollification and congratulatory Luau's were almost as frequent as meetings, which formed themselves into a complete circle around this Island, by a monster one at Aala Park last night which was attended by several thousand people.

The candidates, successful and unsuccessful, started out last Thursday morning over the Pali, and meetings were held at every village and settlement from Kaneohe to Waiaina.

Luau's were almost as frequent as meetings, and everywhere there was much enthusiasm over a victory which put ten Democrats in office on this Island and gave the most important executive offices to the party.

Automobile Procession.

The meeting last night was preceded by an automobile procession.

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Commits Suicide in His Cell--People in Mass Meeting Resolve to Aid Prosecution of Criminals, High and Low.

(Associated Press Cablegrams.)

SAN FRANCISCO, November 15.—Morris Haas, who attempted to assassinate Francis J. Heney, committed suicide in his cell in the county jail here yesterday, shooting himself through the forehead with a pistol he had smuggled into his cell concealed in his shoe. He had been searched twice after his arrest without the revolver being discovered.

HENEY DOING WELL.

Heney's condition is satisfactory. An operation to recover the bullet will be made this morning. The missile has been located under the lower jaw.

AFTER CRIMINALS HIGH AND LOW.

A meeting of the citizens of San Francisco was held last night, ten thousand persons being present. Resolutions were passed declaring that the support of the people would be given the prosecution of all criminals, high or low. Mayor Taylor presided over the meeting.

TRIAL PROCEEDS MONDAY.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 14.—The trial of Abe Ruef, on charges of graft, in spite of the shooting of Prosecutor Heney, will proceed on Monday morning.

VOLUNTEER ASSISTANCE.

Leading attorneys of this city, sympathizing with Prosecutor Heney, today volunteered to assist the prosecution of the graft cases in every possible way.

ROOSEVELT SENDS SYMPATHY.

President Roosevelt today telegraphed his sympathy to Prosecutor Heney in regard to his sensational shooting in court of yesterday.

RENEWED DETERMINATION.

The graft cases will be prosecuted with renewed determination, in spite of the shooting of Heney in court yesterday afternoon.

MONUMENT DEDICATED TO PATRIOTS' MEMORIES

BROOKLYN, November 15.—President-elect Taft yesterday dedicated the Prison Ship Martyrs' monument at the Brooklyn navy yard.

The Prison Ship Martyrs' monument is erected at the site of the burial ground used by the British during the Revolutionary war in which to inter the bodies of American patriots dying aboard a ship used by them at that point as a prison. The death rate among the American prisoners, due to unsanitary conditions, was heavy. This burial ground is just without the present limits of the Brooklyn navy yard.

NEW CABINET FOR AUSTRIA

VIENNA, Austria, November 15.—Baron Bienart, the Minister of the Interior, according to instructions issued to him by the Emperor, has formed a new Cabinet, taking the position at the head of the new government himself, as Premier.

YESTERDAY'S GRIDIRON BATTLES

SAN FRANCISCO, November 15.—The results of the various collegiate football games yesterday are: Stanford beat Berkeley, twelve to three; Chicago lost to Cornell on its own ground by four to six, and Pennsylvania outclassed Michigan by twenty-nine points to nothing.

PRESIDENTS ACTUAL AND PROSPECTIVE

BROOKLYN, November 15.—Taft will have a conference with President Roosevelt today.

LIBERALS WIN IN CUBA.

HAVANA, Cuba, November 15.—In the elections throughout Cuba yesterday the Liberals were victorious.

JAPANESE CONSULAR CHANGES.

TOKIO, November 14.—Choso Koiko, Japanese Consul General to San Francisco, has been transferred to Mukden. He will be succeeded at San Francisco by Matsuzo Nagai who is now third assistant secretary to the Washington Embassy.

COMMERCIAL DELEGATES ON TENYO.

TOKIO, November 14.—The American business men who came here from San Francisco aboard the T. K. K. S. Tenyo Maru will return to the United States in the same boat.

EMPEROR REVIEWS HIS TROOPS.

TOKIO, November 14.—The Emperor is attending the military maneuvers at Nara. Fifty thousand troops are engaged in the military operations.

PARIS, November 14.—The Grand Duke Alexis, of Russia, is dead. Death was due to pneumonia.



THE DOWAGER EMPRESS OF CHINA.
EMPEROR'S DEATH IS CONFIRMED.

PEKING, November 14.—The Emperor died at 5 o'clock this afternoon. It is reported that the Empress Dowager is seriously ill and that her death is imminent.